

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace paragraph 62 with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0062] The autonomic initiation method 500 continues 506 to monitor 504 for an initiation trigger event until the client 400 recognizes 508 a defined initiation trigger event. The client 400 then initiates 510 the appropriate grid application as indicated by the client initiation policies 418. In one embodiment, the client 400 employs the client initiation module 436 to initiate the grid application and notifies the global autonomic manager 300 via the client notification module 428. The client 400 then executes the grid application over the grid system 100 until the grid application is complete 514. The depicted autonomic initiation method 500 then ends 516.